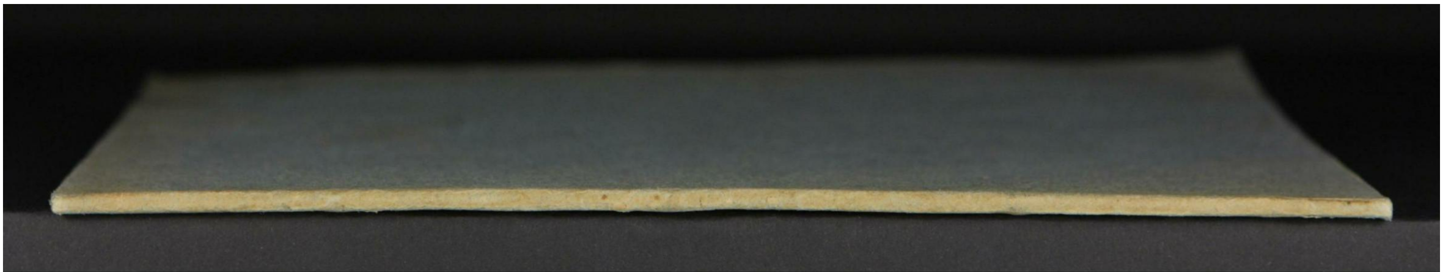
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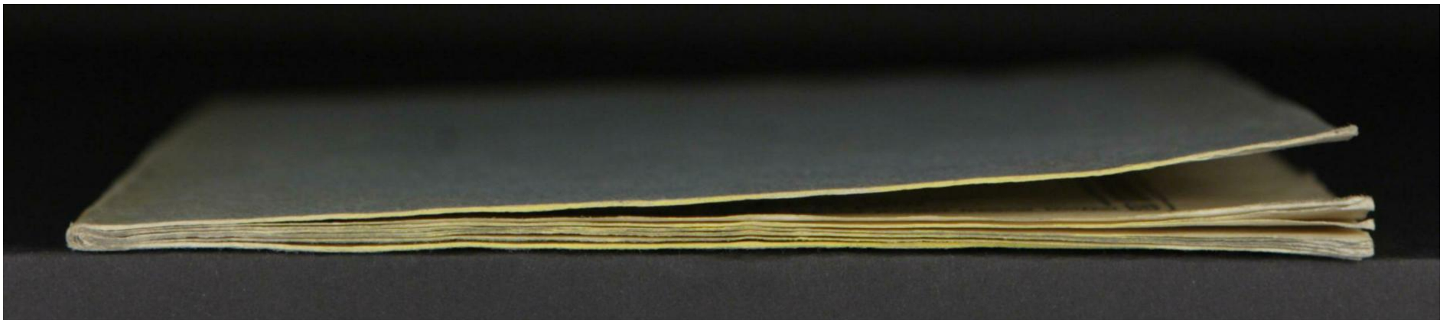


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MELOS AD ILLVSTRISSIMOS CELSISSIMOSQVE PRINCIPES AC DOMINOS, D. CHRISTIANVM, IOAN. F. DVCEM HOLſatiæ, Sleſvigi, & Diethmarſiæ, & D. CHRISTIANVM, GVILIEL. F. Ducem Brunſvigæ & Luneburgæ:

PRÆTER GRATVLATIONEM FELICIS EORVM ADVENtûs in vrbem Argentinam, vota quoque Genethliaca aliquot Principum Illuſtriſs. menſe IXBR. in lucem editorum continens.

Cum Epigrammatis quibusdam, & Anagrammatis.

Auctore

NICOLAO REVSNERO IVriſconſulto, & Anteceſſore.

ARGENTORATI

Apud Carolum Kiefferum
M. D. LXXXVIII.

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MELOS GRATVLA-
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AD ILLVSTRISSIMOS
CELSISSIMOSQVE PRINCI-
PES AC DOMINOS, D. CHRISTIA-
NVM, IOAN. F. Ducem Holſatiæ, &
& D. CHRISTIANVM, GVIL.
F. Ducem Brunſvigæ ac
Lunęburgæ.




O Diua, cœli quæ regis orbitas,
Curſusq́ ſeruas ætherios vigil;
Ac temporum momenta certis
Legibus VRANIE *gubernas:*
Deſcende cœlo, & dic age patriâ
Regina rurſus dulce melos lyrâ:

Clarus Novembri menſe Phœbus
Gaudia dum cumulat beata;
Splendore terras irradians ſuo:
Tot principum unà, tot procerum choris
Mentis ſerenans pectus altæ
Lumine candidulo decórum.
Quos purpuratos ARGYROPE vetus
Portis ruentes, nobile par Ducum
Secum reducentes potentûm,
Plauſibus excipit vrbs amœnis.
BRVNSVIGIÆ Dux alter, & HOLSATÆ
Alter domûs Dux inclytus en adeſt:
Vterque Princeps CHRISTIANVS
Nomine req́; ſimul vocatus:
Ceu ſignifer Dux Chriſticolûm gregis,
Cultorq́; Chriſti perpetuò piùs:
Magni nepos Dux CHRISTIANI
Magnus vterque; potente quondam
Quo Rege felix DANIA floruit
Sub pace longâ, ſub requie bonâ:
Idem nepos Rex CHRISTIANI
Magnanimus cluet antè PRIMI.
Regum minutâ non mihi fas lyrâ
Tentare palmas. namque cani tubâ
Regum merentur tot trophæa,
Aut lituo potiùs trabalj.

Lydis

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Lydis remiſſo carmine tibijs
Si, Diva, cantes, ſat fuerit, Duces;
Tam præpotentûm ſtirpe Regum
Progenitos, meliore fato.
Attende, fatum menſis & aſpice
Præſens Novembris. nam geminos Duces
Lucina quos ortu beato
Menſe priùs tulerat Nouembre:
Menſis November, numine cœlitûm,
Sub urbe eâdem conſociat Duces:
Quos vna uirtus antè, & una
Relligio ſociat, fideſq́;.
AVGVSTVS omen Dux probat inclytus
Præſens, eôdem menſe ſatus: ſimul
Fratre approbãte ERNESTO hoc ipſum,
Menſe priùs genito Decembre.
Feſtum Nouembris concelebrat ſimul
Natale menſis Marchio conſcius
IANVS SIGISMVNDVS, paternj
Æmulus ingenj; GEORGO
Cum fratre IANO: quos ſtimulat patrum
Præclara virtus, famaq́;, & imperî
Porrecta majeſtas ab Ortu
Solis ad Heſperium cubile.
Applaudit unà IVLIVS, & favet
FRANCISCVS, ingens Caſtalidûm decus:

CHRISTIANVS Dux Brunſ. & Lunæburge, natus Anno 1566. 19. IXBR.

CHRISTIANVS Dux Holſatiæ natus Anno 1570. 26 IXBR.

AVGVSTVS Dux Brunſ. & Luneburg. natus A. 1568. 8. IXBR.

ERNESTVS Dux Brunſ. & Luneburg. natus A. 1564. 31. XBR.

IOAN. SIGISMVNDVS Marchio Brand. natus Anno 1572. 8. IXBR.

IOAN. GEORGIVS Marchi Brand. natus Anno 1577. 16. XBR.

IVLIVS ERNESTVS Dux Brunſ. & Lunæb. nat. A. 1571. 11. Mart.

FRANCISCVS Dux Brunſ. & Lunæbur. natus An. 1572. 6. Iun.

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Proſapiæ GVELFÆ *propago*
Inclyta, Saxonicis in oris.
O læta fauſti menſis amœnitas!
Feſtiva magno tot genio Ducum
Concorde junctorum favore;
Perpete nobilitanda famâ!
Quid ô quid optem, vel precer ampliùs?
Quàm proſperâ ſic cum valetudine
Lætus recurrat menſis idem
Per ſeriem Ducibus perennem.
Tuq́; ô profeſtis lucibus, & ſacris
Virtute functos VRANIE *Duces,*
Cum Gratijs Muſisq́;, longum
More patrum celebra per æuum.
Natorum ab aſtris nomina Principum
Inſcribe cœlo. Sic decet, & pium eſt,
Claros Olympo heroas alto
Inſeri Apollineos alumnos.

Nicolaus Reuſnerus
Iuriſc. & Anteceſſor.

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EPIGRAMMATA.

I.

AD ILLVSTRISSIMOS PRINCIPES D. IOANNEM SIGISMVNDVM Marchionem Brandeburgicum, & D. AVGVSTVM Ducem Brunſvigium ac Lunæburgium.

De communi eorum die natali,
VIII. Idus Nouemb.

VNA dies, menſis fauſto quos protulit vnus
Auſpicio, patriæ lumina magna domûs:
Inclyte IANSIGEMVNDE loquor te Marchio, teq́ue
AVGVSTE ô Guelphæ maxime gentis honor:
Vna dies, vnus ſociat nunc menſis in vnâ
Vrbe Duces: propiùs jungit & vna domus.
Quodq́ reor maius, mens vna, anima vna, cor vnum
Vna fides, vnus ſpiritus, vnus amor:
Virtus vna, ſimul parilis doctrina, magisq́ue
Relligio ſuperûm copulat vna Duces.
O concors procerum pietas, ô vnio dîa:
Carmine Muſarum perpete digna cani.
Macti animi virtute Duces: felicibus, opto,
Auſpicijs redeat ſæpius illa dies:

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Sæpius hic redeat menſis: multosq́; per annos
Luce bonâ felix, & venerandus eat.
Faxit & ô Deus vnus, amor vos ſoſpitet vnus:
Perſtet & vna fides inuiolata diu.
Pax populos regat vna, & Gratia dirigat vna:
Perpetuisq́ue bonis vos beet vna Salus.

II.

AD ILLVSTRISSIMVM PRINCIPEM D. CHRISTIANVM, GVIL. F. Ducem Brunsvicenſem ac Lunæburgenſem.

De natali eiuſdem die XIX. Nouemb. D. Eliſabethæ ſacro.

LVCE ſacrâ Divæ Princeps es natus ELISÆ,
CHRISTIADE, Guelphæ dîa propago domûs.
Regis AVI nomen ſortitus, Cimbrica tellus
Quem patris, immò Dei quem venerata loco eſt.
Lux eadem ſaluo tibi nunc feſtiua recurrit,
ARGYROPES quando mœnia lata tenes.
Iamq́ue bis vndenis juvenis ſtas integer annis:
Par ætas animo nec viget iſta tuo.
Ingenium, ſtudiumq́ue tibi, virtusq́ue, fidesq́ue
Sunt Ducis, & patriæ Principis, immò Patris.
Macte animo, Dux magne: Deus tua cœpta ſecundet:
Ac tribuat vitæ mollia fata tuæ.

Sic pa-

Sic pater in Pylios, Cumæos mater in annos
Soſpite te viuat, ſoſpite gente tuâ.

De eiuſdem nomine.
Anagrammatiſmus.

CHRISTIANVS.
NI SIT CHARVS.
INSIT CHARVS.

NI populo CHARVS SIT Dux, infirma poteſtas:
Regnis Dux INSIT CHARVS ut, ipſe paret.

III.

AD ILLVSTRISSIMVM PRINCIPEM D. CHRISTIANVM, IOAN. F. Ducem Holſatiæ, Sleſvigiæ & Diehtmarſiæ, &c.

De communi eius natali die cum Illuſtriſs. Principe FRIDERICO Fratre Germano XXVI. Nouemb. Anno 1570: & 1581.

CVNRADO ſacra Præſuli, orta menſe
Lux vicena redit Nouembre ſexta,
Natalis ſimul illa CHRISTIANE
Princeps inclyte, lux tibi, tuoq;

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Fratri, lux veneranda, FREDERICO:
Ortu quos dedit vna lux beato,
Anni interſtitio vnius, ſed annos
Poſt denos: patre proſatos IOANNE,
Cymbro Rege parente CHRISTIANO
Prognato. Genitrix vtrique ELISA,
Guelpho ſanguine creta, patre magno
ERNESTO, Grubenhagio Dynaſtâ.
O lucem niveam, ô jubar beatum:
Gentis gaudia duplicans potentis
Partu biſgemino, Holſatis in oris:
Salue lux bona, & ô dies amœna
Salue: fauſta redi quotannis, opto,
Saluo Principe vtroque longum in ævum:
Saluâ gente, proſapiâque totâ.
Quid optatius, auſpicatiuſve eſt?

DE EORVNDEM PRINcipum nominibus

Anagrammata.

CHRISTIANVS HOLSATVS.
SOL CHRISTVS VI SANAT.

SOL vitæ CHRISTVS VI SANAT cœlite mentes,
Criminis afflictas quas premit ægra lues.
Solus hic eſt Medicus, Dux magne, ſalutifer orbis:
Vulneribus ſanat vulnera noſtra ſuis.

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FEDERICVS DVX HOLSATIÆ.
SOLA DVCI FAX HIC ERIT DEVS.

SOLA DVCI FAX HIC ERIT, & lux cordis amica
Ipſe DEVS: tutas hæc reget vna vias.

IV.

AD ILLVSTRISSIMVM PRINCIPEM D. IOANNEM GEORGIVM Marchionem Brandeburgicum, IOACH. FRID. F.

De natali eius die XVI Decembris, anni M. D. LXXVII.

QVâ CATHARINA parens vitalibus intulit auris,
Marchiadûm flos, te IANE GEORGE, Ducum:
Creditur hâc Batavæ Comes inclyta MARGARIS oræ
Innumeram ſobolem progenuiſſe diê. A. C. 1313.
Tercentum natos, & ſexaginta recenſet
Quattuor, hiſtoriam ſcribere docta cohors.
Quodq́ue magis mirum, luſtratos amne ſacrato
Vna dies naſci vidit, & vna mori.
Quorſum hoc, magne rogas Princeps? agnoſco diêi
Augurium felix hinc genialis ovans.
Marchiacæ columen gentis te fata benigna
Spondent: innumerâ prole beatus eris.
Prole beatus eris multâ, ſed diſpare fato:
Soſpite te, ſoſpes vivet & ipſa diu.

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Perq́ tuos annos ibis, fratrumq́ ſuperſtes,
Soſpite patre diu, ſoſpite matre domi.
Auguror: augurium firmet, precor, ipſe Iehova:
Magne fave Princeps, votaq́ noſtra proba.

V.

AD ILLVSTRISSIMVM PRINCIPEM D. ERNESTVM, GVIL. F. DVCEM BRVNSvicenſem ac Lunæburgenſem.

De natali eius die, & Illuſtriſs. Principis D. DOROTHEAE Sororis Germanæ, XXXI. Decembr.

LVcis prima tuæ, lux vltima menſis, & anni,
SYLVESTRO ſummo lux ſacra Pontifici:
Sacra monet Genij venerari læta quotannis,
ERNESTE ô Guelphæ Dux generoſe domûs.
Prodijt hac quoq; luce ſoror germana ſub auras
DOROTHEE, verè munus & ipſa DEI.
O lucem niveam, duplici quæ munere felix
Semper honore novo jam celebranda redit.
Tu decus heroum, decus eſt heroidum & illa:
Tu Sol in terris, Luna ſed illa nitet.
Contigit huic thalami quoq; gloria rara, Palatî
Princeps Rhenani CAROLVS ille Comes.

Te

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Te tua nupta manet quoque Principe digna marito,
Inter Alemannas gloria prima nurus.
Dij faciant, longum vitæ numerantibus ævum
Fauſtior hæc redeat ſæpiùs orta dies.

VI.

AD ILLVSTRISSIMVM PRINCIPEM D. IVLIVM ERNESTVM Ducem Brunſvigæ & Lunæburgæ.

De natali eius die, XI. Martii æquinoctiali.

QVâ reduci gaudens Aries ſua vellera Phœbo
Tempora nocturnis æqua diurna facit:
Prima novi veris, veterisq; nouiſsima brumæ:
Auſpicium vitæ hæc lux tibi prima dedit.
IVLI, Guelphorum claro edite ſanguine regum,
ERNESTE ô ſoboles digna parente pio.
Sit, precor, illa tuæ lux ſemper fauſta ſaluti:
Et faveat laudi Gloria læta tuæ.
Felices annos, felicia ſecula cernas:
Optatiſq; feras ſic potiora tuis.

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VII.

AD ILLVSTRISSIMVM PRINCIPEM D. FRANCISCVM Ducem Brunſvigium & Lunæburgium.

De natali eius die, VI. Iunii.

Regis ALEXANDRI MAGNI lux nobilis ortu,
Qui citò perdomito victor in orbe jacet:
Altera poſt Nonas, juvenum de nomine dictas:
FRANCISCE, ô patriæ fama decusq́; domûs:
Lux eadem te læta tulit, ſacrata BENIGNO,
Principis eximij facta benigna parens.
Fallor? an hæredem Macedûm ducis ardua virtus
Repperit in Genio, Dux generoſe, tuo?
Sic reor, & ſic opto lubens: tu quippe iuventæ
Princeps Teutonicæ maximus eſſe potes.
Sidus & Aonidum, Charitum quoq; nobile ſidus:
Pervigil has ſtudio devenerante colis.
Quoque magis procéra tui vis corporis exſtat:
Pectoris & virtus hoc magis ipſa viget.
Mente ſenex diâ, juuenis ſis corpore quamuis,
Celſa ſapis, loqueris quæ ſapis, atque facis.
Dij tibi dent annos, bona qui tibi tanta dedérunt:
Soſpes vt hîc vigeas, incolumisq́; diu.
Proq́; ſalute tuâ, jugiq́; ſalute tuorum
Proq́; tuâ, maneant in ſtatione, domo.

AD

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AD INSIGNIA INCLYTÆ DOMVS BRVNSVIGIÆ ET LVNÆBVRGICAE.



QVattuor imperium Ducibus Germanidos oræ
Nobilius reliquis nomen habere dedit.
Quos inter Guelphæ gentis generoſa propago,
Pectora belligerâ Pallade digna gerit.
Hoc Leo cordatus docet, hoc Equus acer ad arma,
Congrua Martigenis ſymbola vterque viris.
Felix, qui ſolidam factis extendere famam
Nititur: & laus eſt hæc genuina Ducum.

Philippus Lonicerus F.

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AD INSIGNIA INCLYTÆ DOMVS NORVEGIÆ ET HOLSATICÆ.



Bellica ſunt, quæ cernis: acinace tutus, ovansq́;
Tot Leo vexillis, & catafractus eques.
Cur hoc? Norvegiæ regum gens inclyta bello
Claret, & Holſatiæ ſtirps animoſa Ducum.
At bello potior Pax? credo: ſed hac quoque præſtat
Arte, eadem veræ relligionis amans.
Crux notat hoc, Cygnusq́. Sed hinc quæ gloria ſurgit,
Pavonis vario pulcrior orbe micat.

N. Reuſnerus.

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